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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO MAINTAIN PARENT CASECommissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2004, Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Months</u>	<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one	\$110.00	\$55.00
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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension of time fees (\$950.00) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. UDL1P044C1).

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